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| APPLICATION NO. | PR/NO DATE | FIRST NAMED INVENTOR | ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. | CONFIRMATION NO. |
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TITLE OF INVENTION: WELL PUMP FOR INCLUDING AN ORIFICE DISC, AND A METHOD OF FORMING THE ORIFICE DISC INCLUDING

| APP. TYPE      | SMALL ENTITY | REST. FEE | PUBLICATION FEE | TOTAL FEE(USD) | DATE DUE  |
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| EXAMINER | ART UNIT | PLAT. NO. 154 |
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| APPLICATION NO | FILING DATE | FIRST NAMED INVENTOR | ATTORNEY DOCKET NO | CONFIRMATION NO. |
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| 10/652 587     | 07/21/2003  | J. Michael Joseph    | 2002P18439         | 4801             |

TITLE OF INVENTION: FUEL INJECTOR INCLUDING AN ORIFICE DISC, AND A METHOD OF FORMING THE ORIFICE DISC INCLUDING  
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| Application Number     | 10/662,567                |
| Filing Date            | 07/21/2003                |
| First Named Inventor   | J. Michael Joseph         |
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Applicant: JOSEPH

Examiner: Kim

Application No.: 10/622,567

Group Art Unit: 3752

Filed: 07/21/2003

Confirmation No. 4801

Docket: 051252-5244  
2002P18439

For: Fuel Injector Including An Orifice Disc,  
And Method Of Forming The Orifice Disc Including Punching And Shaving

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF DISMISSED PETITION TO WITHDRAW  
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Applicant hereby request reconsideration of the dismissed Petition to withdraw the Notice of Abandonment.

The Petition was dismissed on March 18, 2009 with the reason being "In light of the non-compliance with 37 CFR 1.8(b), the holding of abandonment cannot be withdrawn."

Applicant submits that the issue fee was paid on January 9, 2009, prior to the due date of January 12, 2009 in compliance with 37 CFR 1.8(b). The fee was authorized to be charged to Applicant's deposit account. Although the incorrect Application No. was on the Issue Fee transmittal sheet as explained in the Petition, the

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application was properly identified by Title, Filing Date, Inventor Name, Confirmation Number, and Attorney Docket No.

In compliance with 37 CFR 1.8(b), in the Petition, Applicant:

1. Informed the Office of the previous transmittal of payment of the issue fee promptly after becoming aware that the Office has no evidence of receipt of the correspondence,

2. Supplied an additional copy of the previously transmitted Issue fee payment dated January 9, 2009.

3. Included a statement that the issue fee was timely transmitted on January 9, 2009 as evidenced by the certificate of transmission signed by Wanda Bland. As further evidence, a Fax Call Report is attached indicating that the Issue fee form was faxed to the USPTO at 571-273-3885 on January 9, 2009.

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Respectfully submitted,



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April 28, 2009

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